## **AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:**

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

Claims 1-18 (canceled)

Claim 19 (previously presented): An oxathiincarboxamide of formula (I)

$$G^{3} \xrightarrow{\text{CO}} O \xrightarrow{\text{R}^{1}} \overset{\text{R}^{2}}{\underset{\text{R}^{5}}{\text{R}^{3}}}$$

$$G^{2} \xrightarrow{\text{O}} G^{1} \overset{\text{R}^{5}}{\underset{\text{R}^{5}}{\text{R}^{5}}} \overset{\text{R}^{3}}{\underset{\text{R}^{4}}{\text{R}^{4}}}$$

$$(I),$$

in which

G<sup>1</sup> represents halogen, trifluoromethyl, difluoromethyl, or cyclopropyl, G<sup>2</sup> and G<sup>3</sup> independently of one another represent hydrogen or methyl, n represents 0, 1 or 2,

R<sup>1</sup>, R<sup>2</sup>, R<sup>3</sup>, and R<sup>4</sup> independently of one another represent hydrogen, fluorine, chlorine, methyl, isopropyl, or methylthio,

represents hydrogen, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>8</sub>-alkyl, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>-alkylsulfinyl, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>-alkylsulfonyl, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>-alkoxy-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>-alkyl, or C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>8</sub>-cycloalkyl; represents C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>-haloalkyl, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>-haloalkylthio, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>-haloalkylsulfinyl, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>-haloalkylsulfonyl, halo-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>-alkoxy-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>-alkyl, or C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>8</sub>-halocycloalkyl having in each case 1 to 9 fluorine, chlorine, and/or bromine atoms; represents formyl-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-alkyl, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-alkyl)carbonyl-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-alkyl, or (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-alkoxy)carbonyl-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-alkyl; represents (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-haloalkyl)carbonyl-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-alkyl or (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-haloalkoxy)-carbonyl-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-alkyl having in each case 1 to 7 fluorine, chlorine, and/or bromine atoms; represents (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-alkyl)carbonyl-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-haloalkyl or (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-alkoxy)carbonyl-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-haloalkyl having in each case 1 to 6 fluorine, chlorine, and/or bromine atoms; represents (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-haloalkyl)carbonyl-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-haloalkyl or (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-haloalkyl) or (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-haloalkoxy)carbonyl-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-haloalkyl having in each case 1 to 13 fluorine, chlorine, and/or bromine atoms; or represents -COR<sup>6</sup>, -CONR<sup>7</sup>R<sup>8</sup>, or -CH<sub>2</sub>NR<sup>9</sup>R<sup>10</sup>,

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- represents hydrogen, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>8</sub>-alkyl, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>8</sub>-alkoxy, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>-alkoxy-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>-alkyl, or C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>8</sub>-cycloalkyl; represents C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>-haloalkyl, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>-haloalkoxy, halo-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>-alkoxy-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>-alkyl, or C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>8</sub>-halocycloalkyl having in each case 1 to 9 fluorine, chlorine, and/or bromine atoms; or represents -COR<sup>11</sup>,
- $\mathsf{R}^7$  and  $\mathsf{R}^8$  independently of one another represent hydrogen,  $\mathsf{C}_1\text{-}\mathsf{C}_8\text{-alkyl}$ ,  $\mathsf{C}_1\text{-}\mathsf{C}_4\text{-alkyl}$ , or  $\mathsf{C}_3\text{-}\mathsf{C}_8\text{-cycloalkyl}$ ; represent  $\mathsf{C}_1\text{-}\mathsf{C}_8\text{-haloalkyl}$ , halo- $\mathsf{C}_1\text{-}\mathsf{C}_4\text{-alkyl}$ , or  $\mathsf{C}_3\text{-}\mathsf{C}_8\text{-halocycloalkyl}$  having in each case 1 to 9 fluorine, chlorine, and/or bromine atoms; or  $\mathsf{R}^7$  and  $\mathsf{R}^8$  together with the nitrogen atom to which they are attached form a saturated heterocycle having 5 to 8 ring atoms, where the heterocycle optionally contains 1 or 2 further nonadjacent heteroatoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulphur, and  $\mathsf{NR}^{12}$  and is optionally mono- or polysubstituted by identical or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen and  $\mathsf{C}_1\text{-}\mathsf{C}_4\text{-alkyl}$ ,
- $R^9$  and  $R^{10}$  independently of one another represent hydrogen,  $C_1$ - $C_8$ -alkyl, or  $C_3$ - $C_8$ -cycloalkyl; or represent  $C_1$ - $C_8$ -haloalkyl,  $C_3$ - $C_8$ -halocycloalkyl having in each case 1 to 9 fluorine, chlorine, and/or bromine atoms; or  $R^9$  and  $R^{10}$  together with the nitrogen atom to which they are attached form a saturated heterocycle having 5 to 8 ring atoms, where the heterocycle optionally contains 1 or 2 further nonadjacent heteroatoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulphur, and  $NR^{12}$  and is optionally mono- or polysubstituted by identical or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen and  $C_1$ - $C_4$ -alkyl,
- R<sup>11</sup> represents hydrogen,  $C_1$ - $C_8$ -alkyl,  $C_1$ - $C_8$ -alkoxy,  $C_1$ - $C_4$ -alkoxy- $C_1$ - $C_4$ -alkyl, or  $C_3$ - $C_8$ -cycloalkyl; represents  $C_1$ - $C_6$ -haloalkyl,  $C_1$ - $C_6$ -haloalkoxy, halo- $C_1$ - $C_4$ -alkoxy- $C_1$ - $C_4$ -alkyl, or  $C_3$ - $C_8$ -halocycloalkyl having in each case 1 to 9 fluorine, chlorine, and/or bromine atoms,
- R<sup>12</sup> represents hydrogen or C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>-alkyl, and
- Z represents  $Z^2$ ,  $Z^3$ , or  $Z^4$ , where
  - Z<sup>2</sup> represents cycloalkyl or bicycloalkyl having in each case 3 to 10 carbon atoms, each of which radicals is optionally mono- to tetrasubstituted by identical or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen and C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>-alkyl,

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- $Z^3$  represents unsubstituted  $C_5$ - $C_{20}$ -alkyl or represents  $C_1$ - $C_{20}$ -alkyl that is mono- or polysubstituted by identical or different substituents selected from the group consisting of chlorine and  $C_3$ - $C_6$ -cycloalkyl, and
- $Z^4$  represents  $C_2\text{-}C_{20}\text{-alkenyl}$  or  $C_2\text{-}C_{20}\text{-alkynyl}$  that are mono- or polysubstituted by identical or different substituents selected from the group consisting of fluorine, chlorine, bromine, iodine, and  $C_3\text{-}C_6\text{-}$  cycloalkyl, where the cycloalkyl moiety is optionally mono- to tetrasubstituted by identical or different substituents selected from the group consisting of fluorine, chlorine, bromine, iodine,  $C_1\text{-}C_4\text{-alkyl}$ , and  $C_1\text{-}C_4\text{-haloalkyl}$ , or

Z and R<sup>4</sup> together with the carbon atoms to which they are attached form an optionally substituted 5- or 6-membered carbocyclic or heterocyclic ring and R<sup>1</sup>, R<sup>2</sup>, and R<sup>3</sup> independently of one another represent hydrogen or fluorine.

Claim 20 (previously presented): The oxathiincarboxamide of formula (I) as claimed in Claim 19 in which

G<sup>1</sup> represents fluorine, chlorine, bromine, iodine, trifluoromethyl, difluoromethyl, or cyclopropyl,

 $G^2$  and  $G^3$  independently of one another represent hydrogen, or methyl, and n represents 0 or 2.

Claim 21 (previously presented): The oxathiincarboxamide of formula (I) as claimed in Claim 19 in which  $R^5$  represents hydrogen.

Claim 22 (previously presented): The oxathiincarboxamide of formula (I) as claimed in Claim 19 in which

- R<sup>1</sup> represents hydrogen, fluorine, chlorine, or methyl,
- R<sup>2</sup> represents hydrogen, fluorine, chlorine, isopropyl, or methylthio,
- R<sup>3</sup> represents hydrogen, fluorine, chlorine, or methyl, and
- R<sup>4</sup> represents hydrogen, fluorine, chlorine, or methyl.

Claims 23-27 (canceled)

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Claim 28 (previously presented): A composition for controlling unwanted microorganisms comprising one or more oxathiincarboxamides of formula (I) as claimed in Claim 19 and one or more extenders and/or surfactants.

Claims 29-32 (canceled)

Claim 33 (previously presented): A hydroxyalkyloxathiincarboxamide of formula (VIII)

$$G^{3} \xrightarrow{(O)_{n}} G^{R^{1}} \xrightarrow{R^{2}} R^{3}$$

$$G^{2} \xrightarrow{O} G^{1} \xrightarrow{R^{5}} X^{5}$$

$$(VIII),$$

in which

G<sup>1</sup> represents halogen, trifluoromethyl, difluoromethyl, or cyclopropyl, G<sup>2</sup> and G<sup>3</sup> independently of one another represent hydrogen or methyl, n represents 0, 1 or 2.

R<sup>1</sup>, R<sup>2</sup>, R<sup>3</sup>, and R<sup>4</sup> independently of one another represent hydrogen, fluorine, chlorine, methyl, isopropyl, or methylthio,

represents hydrogen, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>8</sub>-alkyl, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>-alkylsulfinyl, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>-alkylsulfonyl, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>-alkoxy-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>-alkyl, or C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>8</sub>-cycloalkyl; represents C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>-haloalkyl, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>-haloalkylthio, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>-haloalkylsulfinyl, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>-haloalkylsulfonyl, halo-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>-alkoxy-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>-alkyl, or C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>8</sub>-halocycloalkyl having in each case 1 to 9 fluorine, chlorine, and/or bromine atoms; represents formyl-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-alkyl, (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-alkyl)carbonyl-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-alkyl, or (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-alkoxy)carbonyl-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-alkyl; represents (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-haloalkyl)carbonyl-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-alkyl or (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-haloalkoxy)-carbonyl-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-alkyl having in each case 1 to 7 fluorine, chlorine, and/or bromine atoms; represents (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-alkyl)carbonyl-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-haloalkyl or (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-alkoxy)carbonyl-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-haloalkyl having in each case 1 to 6 fluorine, chlorine, and/or bromine atoms; represents (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-haloalkyl)carbonyl-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-haloalkyl or (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-haloalkyl) or (C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-haloalkoxy)carbonyl-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>3</sub>-haloalkyl having in each case 1 to 13 fluorine, chlorine, and/or bromine atoms; or represents -COR<sup>6</sup>, -CONR<sup>7</sup>R<sup>8</sup>, or -CH<sub>2</sub>NR<sup>9</sup>R<sup>10</sup>,

R<sup>6</sup> represents hydrogen,  $C_1$ - $C_8$ -alkyl,  $C_1$ - $C_8$ -alkoxy,  $C_1$ - $C_4$ -alkoxy- $C_1$ - $C_4$ -alkyl, or  $C_3$ - $C_8$ -cycloalkyl; represents  $C_1$ - $C_6$ -haloalkyl,  $C_1$ - $C_6$ -haloalkoxy, halo- $C_1$ - $C_4$ -

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- alkoxy- $C_1$ - $C_4$ -alkyl, or  $C_3$ - $C_8$ -halocycloalkyl having in each case 1 to 9 fluorine, chlorine, and/or bromine atoms; or represents -COR<sup>11</sup>,
- R<sup>7</sup> and R<sup>8</sup> independently of one another represent hydrogen, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>8</sub>-alkyl, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>-alkoxy-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>-alkyl, or C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>8</sub>-cycloalkyl; represent C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>8</sub>-haloalkyl, halo-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>-alkoxy-C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>-alkyl, or C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>8</sub>-halocycloalkyl having in each case 1 to 9 fluorine, chlorine, and/or bromine atoms; or R<sup>7</sup> and R<sup>8</sup> together with the nitrogen atom to which they are attached form a saturated heterocycle having 5 to 8 ring atoms, where the heterocycle optionally contains 1 or 2 further nonadjacent heteroatoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulphur, and NR<sup>12</sup> and is optionally mono- or polysubstituted by identical or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen and C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>-alkyl,
- $R^9$  and  $R^{10}$  independently of one another represent hydrogen,  $C_1$ - $C_8$ -alkyl, or  $C_3$ - $C_8$ -cycloalkyl; or represent  $C_1$ - $C_8$ -haloalkyl,  $C_3$ - $C_8$ -halocycloalkyl having in each case 1 to 9 fluorine, chlorine, and/or bromine atoms; or  $R^9$  and  $R^{10}$  together with the nitrogen atom to which they are attached form a saturated heterocycle having 5 to 8 ring atoms, where the heterocycle optionally contains 1 or 2 further nonadjacent heteroatoms selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulphur, and  $NR^{12}$  and is optionally mono- or polysubstituted by identical or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen and  $C_1$ - $C_4$ -alkyl,
- R<sup>11</sup> represents hydrogen,  $C_1$ - $C_8$ -alkyl,  $C_1$ - $C_8$ -alkoxy,  $C_1$ - $C_4$ -alkoxy- $C_1$ - $C_4$ -alkyl, or  $C_3$ - $C_8$ -cycloalkyl; represents  $C_1$ - $C_6$ -haloalkyl,  $C_1$ - $C_6$ -haloalkoxy, halo- $C_1$ - $C_4$ -alkoxy- $C_1$ - $C_4$ -alkyl, or  $C_3$ - $C_8$ -halocycloalkyl having in each case 1 to 9 fluorine, chlorine, and/or bromine atoms,
- R<sup>12</sup> represents hydrogen or C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>-alkyl, and
- X<sup>5</sup> represents C<sub>2</sub>-C<sub>20</sub>-hydroxyalkyl that is optionally additionally mono- or polysubstituted by identical or different substituents selected from the group consisting of halogen and C<sub>3</sub>-C<sub>6</sub>-cycloalkyl in which the cycloalkyl moiety is optionally substituted by halogen and/or C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub>-alkyl.

Claims 34-35 (canceled)

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